

DAMAGE BY STORMS HAS BEEN SEVERE

LOSS FOOTS UP MILLIONS OF DOLLARS.

The City of Pittsburg Partly Under Water—Portions of Ohio and Michigan Devastated—Loss of Property But no Lives—Details of the Storm.

Pittsburg, Pa., July 16.—A heavy rainstorm, which was practically a cloudburst, at 8 o'clock Wednesday night, did great damage throughout this city and Allegheny. It is estimated that the loss will reach \$1,000,000. The storm's coming so early in the evening doubtless saved many lives, as few people had retired to bed. Many narrow escapes were reported, but no lives are thought to have been lost.

The storm came up suddenly and gave little warning. The water came down in sheets and in a few minutes the streets were running rivers. Every street car line in the two cities, except the Birmingham Traction, was blocked, and for hours no travel was attempted.

At Forty-eighth street, Lawrenceville, probably the most destruction was wrought. Every house on the north side of Butler street from Forty-eighth street east was flooded, many of them entirely ruined. Quite a number of families were rendered homeless in this district. The loss at this point will be many thousands of dollars.

In Allegheny Perryville avenue was flooded from one end to the other, undermining the new street railway, rendering it almost a total loss. Seven miles of Sawmill Run plank road is destroyed, the planks being carried away and the roadbed ruined. The water came rushing down Madison avenue and East street four feet deep when the sewer on Compromise street gave way. It plowed its way through houses in its track and deposited bowlders and gravel in front of the Forty-second ward school house eight feet high.

DAMAGE IN OHIO.

McArthur, Cincinnati and Covington Visited by a Heavy Storm.

McArthur, Ohio, July 16.—A cloudburst struck this place Wednesday night, accompanied by lightning. Some houses were deluged six inches over the floor. The reservoir broke, two bridges were washed away, the roof of Sisson's drug store was blown off, and the Elko company's store and three dwelling-houses were struck by lightning. The Columbus, Hocking Valley and Toledo Railroad was badly damaged. It was the severest storm ever known in this section.

Cincinnati, Ohio, July 16.—Between 1 and 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon this city and Covington and Newport had a storm of wind, rain and lightning of unusual severity. The wind attained a speed of forty-five miles an hour. The rain came in blinding sheets that overtaxed the sewers in the lower part of the city and flooded streets. Business was practically suspended. In Covington the roof of the Ledyer tobacco warehouse was blown off, as also were the roofs of several dwellings in Newport. Specials to the Commercial Gazette report heavy thunder-storms and rains. At several places there was a loss of life and property from lightning. Near Portsmouth, Ohio, five persons took refuge in a shed, which was struck by lightning, killing W. E. Dudent and William Brown, and injuring J. P. Brown, Arthur Brown and Joseph Estep.

IN SOUTHERN MICHIGAN.

Much Damage Done to Property and Crops—No Lives Lost.

Detroit, Mich., July 16.—Southern Michigan was visited by a wild rain and wind storm of cyclonic character Wednesday night, which did damage to property and crops aggregating \$150,000. Around Kalamazoo celery beds suffered extensively. Around Hillsdale there were washouts on the Lake Shore road, delaying mail and passengers nearly ten hours. About Galesburg apple, peach and pear orchards were stripped of valuable fruit. In Calhoun county twelve barns were struck by lightning and burned. In Lenawee county the rainfall measured 2.10 inches. The sky was a continuous blaze of electrical fire for hours.

Grand Haven, Mich., July 16.—The storm which visited this locality Wednesday night proved to be the worst which ever visited this place, the damage footing up nearly \$20,000. The American Glass Beveling company was the heaviest loser, as the force of the wind completely demolished a large part of the building. The city water plant was unroofed and otherwise damaged. The storm came from the west over Lake Michigan and was accompanied by a heavy rain which came in such torrents that it acted more like a cloudburst than anything else. With all the falling debris there was only one accident, when a traveling man by the name of W. A. Snyder was badly stunned in the Goodrich warehouse by a heavy door blown over him.

Senator Sawyer Yields.

Oshkosh, Wis., July 16.—Ex-Senator Sawyer has publicly renounced all claims that he now has or may have against the state on account of the sums he was forced to pay in satisfying the judgment against certain ex-treasurers of state.

BASEBALL REPORT.

Games Played in the National League Yesterday.

Only three games were played in the league yesterday, yet the three changed the face of the race. Meekin is showing by his good work just how much New York misses Rusie. It was Jouett that beat Cleveland yesterday. Down at Pittsburg Boston had all the luck, and shoved the men from the head of the Ohio below the Colts, who stepped up into the five-hole, while Philadelphia again dropped. With Baltimore and Cincinnati matched and Boston battling for place at Cleveland, the Colts should move up on all the four leaders, should Washington play to form and lose two or three games at Chicago. Yesterday's contests:

At Chicago—	
Chicago.....	2 3 1 0 0 1 1 2 *
Philadelphia.....	1 1 0 2 1 1 0 0 —6
At Cleveland—	
New York.....	3 0 1 2 0 0 0 0 —6
Cleveland.....	1 0 0 1 0 0 2 0 —4
At Pittsburg—	
Boston.....	0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 —2
Pittsburg.....	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 —1

Western Association.

At Cedar Rapids—Burlington, 6; Cedar Rapids, 5. (Eleven innings.)
At Quincy—Peoria, 5; Quincy, 2.
At Des Moines—Rockford forfeited the game to Des Moines, refusing to play on account of the umpire's decision.

At St. Joseph—St. Joseph, 1; Dubuque, 0.

Western League.

At Minneapolis—Indianapolis, 10; Minneapolis, 3.
At Milwaukee—Detroit, 8; Milwaukee, 7.
At St. Paul—St. Paul, 12; Columbus, 7.

MAY BE A SPLIT.

Populist Convention Not Unanimous for the Indorsement of Bryan.

St. Louis, Mo., July 16.—It becomes more and more evident each day as the time of the meeting of the populist national convention draws near that the members of that party will clash over the indorsement of Bryan for president. Letters from all parts of the country are pouring into the national committee headquarters, some demanding and some denouncing the indorsement of the democratic ticket, and everything indicates that there is a decided difference of opinion as to the best action to be taken at the coming convention.

It is the opinion of some of the populists here that the party is near the danger line of a split over the question. They express the hope, however, that some definite plan of action agreeable to all can be decided upon at the meeting of the national executive committee, which is to be held here next Saturday.

Chairman Taubeneck still declines to discuss the new movement in favor of Bryan and Sewall. His invariable statement is "I have nothing for publication."

The biggest fight next to the one indorsing the candidates will be that over the platform. A very strong wing of the party, headed by Chairman Taubeneck, Sergeant-at-Arms McDowell, Chairman Rozell of the Missouri state committee and many of the members of the national committee proposes to make a fight for the adoption of the Omaha platform instead of an indorsement of the Chicago declaration.

Three Girls Drowned.

Minneapolis, Minn., July 16.—While bathing at Lake Minnetonka, a summer resort near this city, Florence Mills, aged 17, and Birdie Mills, aged 14, daughters of F. B. Mills, and Helen Cheney, aged 13, daughter of William Cheney, all of this city, were drowned at 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The accident was due to their getting into a channel dredged some years ago to accommodate steamboat traffic. All the bodies have been recovered.

Delegates Are Not Instructed.

Little Rock, Ark., July 16.—The populist state convention met at Glenwood park at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning with all the counties represented. The committee on resolutions submitted a report instructing delegates to the convention at St. Louis to vote for the indorsement of Bryan and Sewall. After much debate a resolution was adopted sending to St. Louis an uninstructed delegation. The convention then adjourned until today.

New York State Democracy Bolts.

New York, July 16.—The executive committee of the state Democracy met Tuesday and repudiated the Chicago platform. It also advocated the putting of a third candidate in the field. The resolutions were adopted only after a prolonged debate, and it is said that at least five district leaders will consider the advisability of resigning from the organization.

Wants a Silver Platform.

Boston, Mass., July 16.—Arthur Sewall left Boston Wednesday for Bath. To an acquaintance he said that he was in favor of holding another state convention in Maine in order to harmonize the state and the national platform. He also expressed great confidence in the prospect of victory for the democratic ticket this fall.

Costa Rica Adopts Gold Basis.

New York, July 16.—A special to the World from Colon, Colombia, says: "Costa Rica has decided to adopt gold as a basis of its currency. The inhabitants of Port Limon are preparing to celebrate the event on a grand scale. The entire country is pleased because the present silver currency is to be called in."

BRYAN IS THE IDOL OF THE LONG HAIRS

POPULISTS GATHERING FOR THEIR CONVENTION.

There is No Doubt That They Will Endorse the Chicago Nominee—National Party, However, Stands Aloof and Will Not Follow the Democratic Lead.

St. Louis, July 16.—Populists are arriving on every train for the national convention. Bryan will be endorsed without doubt. Mr. Bryan and party arrive here tonight. A great demonstration will be made.

Alliance, O., July 16.—Headquarters for the United States of the national party are located in this city. Inquiry develops the fact that their is no great likelihood of the national candidates being withdrawn in order to strengthen the democratic free silver ticket. Prominent leaders of the nationals say that while they very earnestly favor free silver as a step in the right direction, they do not regard it as the ultimate solution of the money question. Their platform goes further, and declares that all money should be issued by the general government only, without the intervention of any citizen, corporation or banking institution. It further declares that all such money should be a full legal tender for all debts, public and private, and should be based upon the wealth, stability and integrity of the nation. Because they allege that the withdrawal of their ticket in favor of the free silver democrats would mean a sacrifice of principle, not only on the money question, but also in regard to equal suffrage, land and tax reform, the suppression of the liquor traffic, direct legislation and several other of their platform declarations, most of the national leaders favor the continuance of their party organization. They claim that a vigorous campaign will be pushed in behalf of their candidates.

WELCOME TO BRYAN.

Democratic Candidate for President Honored at Salem, Ill.

Salem, Ill., July 16.—An immense crowd was here yesterday from neighboring towns an adjoining counties to take part in the great celebration given in honor of William Jennings Bryan, the democratic nominee for president, who, thirty-six years ago first saw the light of day in this quiet, sleepy old country town. Rain marred the celebration until about 1 o'clock in the afternoon. Gov. Altgeld has been advertised to speak, but word was received that his health was such that he could not come. When this fact became known to the throng of democrats there were general expressions of disappointment. Mr. Bryan was presented to the audience amid uproarious applause. He made a speech touching very lightly on politics, confining himself to reminiscences of his early life among his auditors. Mr. Bryan hopes to be able to rest after leaving here until he reaches Lincoln, Neb. He expects to leave here and go to St. Louis, thence to Kansas City and then to Lincoln.

Coinage Will Be Increased.

Washington, July 16.—Owing to the fact that the amount of silver dollars in the treasury available for the redemption of treasury notes has become reduced to \$10,659,582, and will be further reduced by redemption during the current month, the coinage of silver dollars by the mints will be increased from \$1,500,000 to \$3,000,000 per month from August, and will probably be continued at that rate in order that the treasury may have a sufficient stock to redeem treasury notes presented in exchange for silver dollars. The amount of treasury notes redeemed in silver dollars and canceled from Nov. 1, 1893, to July 14, 1896, was \$28,402,258.

Hibernians Are Flourishing.

Detroit, Mich., July 16.—At the business session of the Ancient Order of Hibernians Tuesday President O'Connor presented his report, which showed the organization of 169 divisions of the order and twenty-five military companies in two years. Bishop Foley, national chaplain, submitted a report on the fund to endow a chair of Irish literature in the Catholic university, Washington. It showed that \$49,000 of the \$50,000 which the order was pledged to give had been raised, and promised that the remainder would be forthcoming before the close of the present convention. The treasurer's report showed a balance of \$3,847 on hand.

Hill Stands with Tammany.

New York, July 16.—The opinion is becoming general that Senator Hill, yielding to the entreaties of Tammany leaders will soon indorse Bryan and Sewall. Mr. Whitney, however, it is surmised, is disposed to favor the third ticket idea. Senator James Smith of New Jersey sailed for Europe, declining to add anything more to his previous statement, that the question of supporting free silver candidates should be reverted to the people of the party in each sound money state, indicating thereby that he wished to see state conventions called for that purpose.

Columbia, S. C., July 16.—If it is reported here that Miss Addie Tillman, the eldest daughter of Senator Tillman, was killed by lightning on a mountain near Vreano, N. C., yesterday.

TAR AND FEATHERS ON A MENASHA MAN

WIFE'S FRIENDS DECORATED HIM AT NIGHT.

Pending Divorce Suit Caused the Trouble—Murderer Zellmer Is Arrested After Hiding Ten Days in The Marshes—Two Barns Destroyed By Lightning.

Neenah, July 16.—At nine o'clock last night ten men called at the residence of Patrick Geraghty, who is being sued for divorce by his wife in the town of Menasha. One man knocked at the door, and when Mr. Geraghty appeared he was seized and dragged out of the house and tarred and feathered. The parties who committed the deed are unknown, but are supposed to be relatives of the wife.

MURDERER ZELLMER CAPTURED

Had Been Hiding in Marshes Ten Days Since the Killing.

Watertown, July 16.—Wm. Zellmer, who murdered Mrs. Mary Bucher ten days ago, was arrested last night at the home of his brother-in-law, Mr. Heolack. The latter refused to do anything in Zellmer's behalf. Zellmer had been hiding in the marshes and was nearly starved when found. It is believed he killed Mrs. Bucher so that he might rent her farm.

TWO BARN STRUCK BY LIGHTNING

John Derenicks of Columbus, Suffers the Loss of Building and Stock.

Columbus, July 16.—John Derenick's two barns were struck by lightning and burned last night. Two horses and eight cows were killed. The loss is over \$2,000.

OLD MAN TIES OF LIFE.

Robert Wilkinson, of Darlington, Took Strychnine To End His Troubles.

Darlington, July 16.—Robert Wilkinson, an old resident, committed suicide today, by taking strychnine. He said he was tired of living.

CUBANS SAY THEY ARE UNITED

There Is No Discussion, They Say, and They Are Confident of Success

New York, July 16.—Gen. Carlos Roloff is in the city on business for the Cuban government. Gen. Roloff was asked if it were true as reported by Spaniards that dissensions among the generals were weakening the Cubans. "It is not," he said, with emphasis. "There have been no dissensions among us. There was no quarrel between Garcia and Gomez as reported, and Gomez did not counter-march on account of any trouble. He counter-marched because he wanted a consultation of all the generals as to the programme in view of the commencement of the rainy season. And there's that explosive bullet story," Gen. Roloff exclaimed, and then laughed heartily. "We haven't anything of the kind. We have the brass-capped bullets we have captured from the Spaniards. They use them in their Remingtons. That bullet is the most deadly missile there is, it makes a terrible wound. Then there's the Mausers we have taken from them. They make a Mauser in Spain and the bullets from the wabble and strike side on. Those make bad wounds also. The Maused ball when it strikes direct does little harm unless it hits a vital spot. We use dynamite—all we can get. We blow up railroads and we make mines and blow up Spaniards on the march and we destroy steamers with it. The trouble with us is that we are not experienced in its use."

RAILWAY MEN KILLED.

Freight Trains Come Together Near Quincy, Ill., with Fatal Result.

Quincy, Ill., July 16.—There was a disastrous freight train collision five miles east of here Monday morning, in which two men were killed and two injured. The dead:

ATHEY, LOUIS, fireman; crushed and scalded.

HAMMER, S. G., engineer; crushed and scalded.

The injured:

Smith, Fred, fireman; one leg cut off and body crushed; may recover.

Van Steenburg, N. F., engineer; bruised about the body; not seriously injured.

Hammer's home is at Taylorville.

Smith is an officer of the militia and was to have joined his regiment in camp at Springfield.

Michigan Epworth League.

Ludington, Mich., July 16.—Over 800 delegates are in the city attending the Michigan State Epworth league annual convention. The early part of the morning was occupied with a business meeting. The secretary's report indicates a membership of 37,500, an increase of 2,500 members. The address of the morning was by B. E. Helman of Cleveland, on the "Epworth Wheel." In the afternoon Professor D. B. Waldo of Albion spoke concerning the "Needs of the Literary Department." The evening address was by John P. Gavit of Chicago on "Christian Citizenship."

Cheyenne, Wyo., Is Flooded.

Cheyenne, Wyo., July 16.—A destructive cloudburst occurred here Wednesday, flooding the entire city, submerging the lower floors of the railway depots, railway shops, electric light plants and many business houses. Five inches of rain fell in one hour and forty minutes. The damage is \$50,000.

HEADQUARTERS EAST AND WEST

Chicago and New York Chosen By the National Executive Committee

Cleveland, O., July 16.—Suppressed excitement, animation, and activity prevailed in the office of M. A. Hanna Wednesday morning before the first session of the Republican national executive committee. All the members of the committee were present. In the evening Mr. Hanna announced that during the session New York and Chicago had been selected as headquarters of the committee, and members of the committee would be in each city all the time during the campaign. This action was taken, it was said, because it was desired by the committee to get as close to the people as possible. The East is considered safe, but New York is more central for the South. The fight in the West, it was said by one of the members of the committee, would be waged fiercely from the very first, and for that reason Chicago was made headquarters.

During the session today two vacancies on the national committee were filled by the appointment of Myron M. Parker for the District of Columbia and C. S. Johnson for Alaska. Mr. Johnson attended the national convention as a delegate, and was a member of the committee which notified Major McKinley of his nomination.

It was said by Mr. Hanna that the sessions of the committee would continue several days, perhaps a week. Before the adjournment, he said, a definite plan of campaign would be mapped out. Some of it, he said, had already been arranged, but he refused to divulge it.

Ex-United States Marshal William Haskell has been appointed special sergeant-at-arms for the committee.

YOUNG BAPTISTS GATHER.

Immense Crowds Attend the Convention of the Union at Milwaukee.

Milwaukee, Wis., July 16.—Twelve thousand members of the Baptist Young People's Union are here to take part in the national convention. Streets are decorated, buildings and dwellings are hung with bunting and the union's flags, and the Exposition building has been provided with seats for 12,000 persons, in addition to accommodations for officers, speakers, and the choir of 1,000 persons that has been drilled for a month to furnish the vocal music during the convention. The opening session of the meeting commenced at 10 o'clock this morning. The board of managers of the Baptist Young People's Union met yesterday preparatory to the opening session of the convention today. Rev. L. L. Henson of Fort Wayne presided. The annual report of General F. L. Wilkins of Chicago shows the total number of societies in the United States and Canada to be 8,000 with a total membership of 400,000, the junior societies numbering 1,500, with 40,000 members. State organization has been carried during the year into Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina, and Southern California, and territorial organization into Arizona, Indian Territory, Oklahoma, and Montana.

Preparations at Lincoln.

Lincoln, Neb., July 16.—The committee in charge of the arrangements for the reception to William J. Bryan has adopted a formal programme. Mr. Bryan will be drawn at the head of an immense parade Friday by four white horses. Several of the members of various committees who happen to be republicans declare they will not serve unless the demonstration includes equal honors to Charles E. Bentley, the candidate for president of the new national party, who is also a Lincoln citizen. It is given out that Mr. Bryan will be met at the train Friday afternoon at 4:45 and escorted to his home on D street regardless of the action of the recalcitrant republicans. The reception proper will be held at the state capitol in the evening, where the distinguished citizen of Lincoln will receive and shake hands with all comers.

German Paper Ridicules Italy.

Berlin, July 16.—The semi-official Neuste Nachrichten refers in ironical language to Rudini's speech in which he referred to the possibility of bettering the terms of the triple alliance. The writer draws attention to the weakness of Italy, which was so completely beaten by Abyssinia, and asks what she could do against France, saying that instead of Italy dictating terms it is for her allies to study her bad organization and equipment and the capacity of her army. The article further declares that Baratieri's report on the complete rout of the Italian army at Adowa is perfectly true.

Fatal Shooting Affray in Indiana.

Indianapolis, Ind., July 16.—Monday afternoon there was a shooting affray in a cross roads village in Sullivan County, ten miles from the county seat, in which Charles Bell, a saloon-keeper, was instantly killed by young Clemens, who is a son of a minister. There were a dozen or more spectators and after Bell had fallen they made a rush to arrest the murderer, but he held them at bay with two revolvers and escaped at his leisure.

Responsibility for the Logan Wreck.

Logan, Iowa, July 16.—The coroner's jury before which was held the inquest over the dead of the railroad wreck of Saturday returned a verdict against Engineer Montgomery and Conductor Reed, holding them guilty of criminal negligence. The two men are under arrest.

W. E. RUSSELL DEAD OF HEART DISEASE

SUDDEN END OF THE MASSACHUSETTS EX-GOVERNOR.

He Had Been in Camp With Friends Near Quebec—News Comes as a Severe Blow to Boston Admirers—Death of Mrs. Mary Harlan in Indiana.

Boston, July 16.—Ex-Governor W. E. Russell of Massachusetts, died of heart disease in his camp near Quebec.



EX-GOVERNOR RUSSELL.

Canada, this morning. He was idolized by the younger element of Massachusetts democrats, and his death will cause great sorrow.

Death of Mrs. Mary Harlan.

Indianapolis, Ind., July 16.—Mrs. Mary Harlan, the venerable mother of Senator Harlan of Iowa, died Wednesday at the home of her son-in-law, John Brown, in Parke County. She was 100 years and 5 months old. Her death was due to exhaustion incident to old age.

IOWANS ARE LOYAL.

Republicans of that State Stand Firm on the St. Louis Platform.

Des Moines, Iowa, July 16.—The republican state convention was held Wednesday.

The platform, after indorsing the action of the St. Louis convention, says on the financial issue:

"We heartily approve the platform of the party announced by the national republican convention recently held in St. Louis, and we pledge our fellow republicans throughout the United States to carry all its declarations to triumphant success in the coming election."

"We cordially indorse the candidates of that convention and we hasten to assure our sister states that Iowa, speaking through a magnificent majority, will cast her electoral vote for McKinley and Hobart."

The platform adopted by the democrats at Chicago is denounced as revolutionary. International bimetalism is favored: "In the interest of our export trade, for the furtherance of the policy of reciprocity and for the promotion of our commerce, as well as for the benefit of our silver producers, we pledge the support of the Iowa republicans in congress to the promotion of an international agreement to establish the joint standard universally; and from the considerations to oppose the change to a single-silver standard because it will decrease and not increase the supply of money in the country, because, instead of restoring confidence, it will destroy credits; instead of aiding the debtor, it will involve him in bankruptcy; instead of furnishing employment to labor, it will make more uncertain and unremunerative that which it has; instead of benefiting the producers, it will injure them; and, finally, because it would do infinite injustice and involve our country in repudiation and dishonor."

The policy of protection and the reciprocity ideas formulated by Mr. Blaine are indorsed.

The ticket nominated is as follows. Electors-at-Large—R. H. Conger, Des Moines, Edred S. James, Clinton; Secretary of State—C. L. Dobson, Des Moines; Auditor—C. G. McCarthy, renominated; Treasurer—John Herriot, Stuart, renominated; Attorney General—Milton Remley, Iowa City, renominated; Judge of Supreme Court—A. R. Ladd, Sheldon; Railroad Commissioner—E. A. Dawson, Waverly.

The nominations were all made unanimously, and the platform was adopted without a dissenting vote. The republican state central committee re-organized after the state convention, and H. G. McMillan was elected chairman.

Women Visit Major McKinley.

Canton, Ohio, July 16.—In a blinding rain-storm 500 representative women of Cleveland came to Canton Tuesday, headed by a woman's brass band. They were met by a committee of Canton women. Forming a column of two they marched to McKinley's home. There thousands blocked the streets and surged through the grounds in great confusion. When quiet was restored Mrs. Elroy M. Avery presented an address of greeting to Major McKinley, which he answered in a short speech.

WE SHALL NOT SEE THE PACING KING

JOE PATCHEN IS NOT COMING
HERE.

Managers of The "Iron Horse" Crawl—Pacer Who Goes in 2:13 Without a Driver to Be an Extra Attraction For the First Day—Other Horse Gossip.

Joe Patchen will probably not pace an exhibition mile at the Janesville track next week, although arrangements to that end were at one time thought to have been settled on. The managers of the "iron horse" refused to enter into the agreement when the time came, however, so in all probability the great pacer will not come to Janesville.

But there will be an extra attraction just the same, and a good one.

It will be Happy Jack pacing a mile, without a driver, and without being hitched to a sulky. The beast paced a mile at Oshkosh "all by his lonesome," in 2:13, and the people went wild over the performance. The horse scores by himself, returns if the bell is rung, and goes ahead if he gets the word. He has paced quarters in 32 seconds, and if he had a driver to "rate" the mile for him, he would beat 2:10, it is said. He is brought out onto the track attired in his harness only and acts like a thoroughbred. The animal will be seen on the first day of the meeting, Monday, July 21.

Dunbar Will Be Here

Although it was thought that T. J. Dunbar would not be here next week, the idea was a mistaken one, and the man who sent Vera Capel, 2:07, and other good ones, will be here. He is now campaigning a public stable, and is located at Wheaton, Ill., instead of at Detroit, as was announced in some turf papers. Mr. Dunbar is campaigning the horses owned by C. C. Jerome of Chicago, and Henry Killies of Milwaukee. Mr. Jerome owns Tom Ogden 2:07, who is entered in the race for all-pacing class, and Dunbar will drive him. In addition, Mr. Jerome has Gen. Miles in the 2:35 and 2:50 paces. Mr. Killies's horses are Josie Ray, entered in the 2:30 and 3-year-old paces.

But three Janesville horses are entered, they being Alice Director, entered in the 2:16 paces, and Massasoit, and Isabelle, named respectively in the 2:24 and 2:35 trotting classes.

Some Other Notes.

Horses will be sold at Stillson's. Many of the horsemen are here now.

L. P. DABORN & Co. have the paces.

THOMAS PHILLIPS, of Milwaukee, will sell the horses.

JOHN KELLY won another race with Baron Crisp at Detroit.

JOHN KELLY's Baron Crisp, has made the fastest mile by a trotter, of his age so far this season—2:12.

The arrival of the trotters a week ahead of time, has benefited the feed dealers, hotels and boarding house keepers.

MANAGER CARPENTER of the Western Union, sighs when he thinks of race week. It makes plenty of extra work for him sending out press matter.

MAMBRINO FIELD, a horse entered in the 2:20 paces, won two heats in the 2:25 paces class race at Aurora, Ill., yesterday, pacing in 2:19, but only got third money.

HIRED MAN SUES R. LILBURN.

Well Known Bradford Stock Raiser Has a Disagreement with His Help.

Another law suit between a farm owner and his hired man, will soon be heard in the municipal court, July 18 being the date. Robert Lilburn, of Bradford, says he hired David P. Thompson to work for him for a certain length of time, but after laboring for two weeks, he quit, and demanded his pay, which Lilburn refused to give. Attorney M. P. Richardson will look after Thompson's interests.

BIG HIGH SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Supt. Mayne's Figures Show a Probable Enrollment of Four Hundred.

Supt. Mayne promises that the attendance at the new High school building will be at the opening of school even larger than it was last term. There were 330 pupils last term and it is expected that there will be at least 400 at the opening of the school. The great advantages held out by the school are appreciated not only within the city, but all over the county as well. Next year's graduating class will not be as large as the class of '96, but the

growth of the graduating classes will be a noticeable feature from this time on.

ASSESSED VALUATION IS LOWER

Decrease of \$106,950 Shown by the Board of Review Figures.

The assessed valuation of the city is lower this year, being fixed by the board of review at \$4,520,130. A year ago it was listed at \$4,627,080, being \$106,950 more. The valuation by wards is as follows:

FIRST WARD.
Personal property.....\$ 375,900
Real estate.....661,850
Farming lands.....181,700

Total.....\$1,219,450

SECOND WARD.
Personal property.....\$ 205,591
Real estate.....519,375
Farming lands.....29,375

Total.....\$ 754,341

THIRD WARD.
Personal property.....\$ 255,851
Real estate.....871,039
Farming lands.....58,504

Total.....\$1,185,395

FOURTH WARD.
Personal property.....\$ 164,473
Real estate.....690,305
Farming lands.....30,600

Total.....\$ 885,378

FIFTH WARD.
Personal property.....\$ 69,390
Real estate.....358,680
Farming lands.....46,950

Total.....\$474,975

The valuation in the several wards in 1895 was as follows:

First ward.....\$1,216,116
Second ward.....757,269
Third ward.....1,186,183
Fourth ward.....954,103
Fifth ward.....486,409

Total.....\$4,627,080

LUTHERANS MEET IN BELOIT

Annual Session of the Wisconsin Synod—Names of the New Officers

The Wisconsin district of the German Lutheran synod is in session in Beloit with delegates from Wisconsin, Illinois, Indiana and Missouri. Officers were elected as follows: Rev. H. A. Allwardt, Lebanon, Wis., president; re-elected; Rev. H. Eisenbach, Oconto, Wis., vice president; Rev. H. Doermann, Chicago, secretary; Rev. Th. Marth, Appleton, treasurer; Rev. J. A. Doermann, Blue Island, Ill., chaplain.

PHALLAMONT IN A BAD WAY.

H. D. McKinney's Valuable Horse Has Been in Critical Condition.

Prompt medical aid saved the life of one of the most noted and valuable horses Rock County has ever claimed—Henry D. McKinney's Phallamont. Phallamont was taken suddenly ill at the fair grounds this week and gradually grew worse until he fairly groaned with pain. Dr. Roberts worked with him continually and it is now thought he is out of danger.

WALF'S FUNERAL IN BELOIT

Eli Bellis, a Boy Tramp, Buried in the Line City.

Eli Bellis, a boy tramp 15 years old, who said he had no home, died in the city jail in Beloit Tuesday night. He was given good care during his illness and Wednesday the funeral service was held, a large number of people being present and covering his coffin with flowers. Cigarettes and exposure were responsible for the boy's death, the doctors said.

WJG FASTER THAN WOODCHUCKS

Hillies Brothers Make a Record in Sinking a Well Through Gravel.

Hillies Brothers, of this city, have established a well-digging record that they think is liable to stand for some time. On the farm of James Murphy, seven miles north of this city, in two and one-half days, they went 125 feet into the earth before they struck water, and most all the way the drill worked in coarse gravel, which is considered worse than rock.

WEE BOY RIDES A WHEEL WELL

Son of Will F. Kimball Heads the Five-Year Old Class.

Ex-Mayor John Thoroughgood is proud of the fact that his little grandson, John Kimball, is the youngest bicycle expert in the city. Master Kimball is the five year old son of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Kimball and shows the ease and grace of a much older rider, as he pumps a twenty inch wheel that Mr. Thoroughgood bought in Chicago.

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LANE AT THE HEAD OF THE SILVERITES

HE IS THE SPOKESMAN FOR
THE FIRST DISTRICT

Milwaukee Convention Makes the Janesville Attorney a Delegate to St. Louis and also a Member of the State Central Committee—Bryanites Control the Action of the Body.

Wilson Lane of this city, represents the First Congressional district on the state central committee of the new Wisconsin silver party. He and Charles Freeman of Racine are delegates to the St. Louis silver convention from the first district.

The new party organized in Milwaukee yesterday. Provision had been made in the call for nine hundred delegates. Barely one hundred were present, and those were chiefly from Milwaukee county and counties near by. Over half the districts of the state were unrepresented in the convention. This was the case with the first, second, third, sixth, eighth and ninth. The tenth district had not a single delegation on the floor, but Chippewa and Bayfield had sent their credentials with proxies to Rublee A. Cole. Of the 104 delegates actually present, hardly a score came from counties outside of Milwaukee, Waukesha and Sheboygan.

Object Sought by Delegates.

Many of these delegates were there for a purpose not exactly in line with a pure and unadulterated love for the white metal. They desired to get an endorsement from the convention for the nominee of the Chicago convention and prevent the nomination of a state ticket by the convention. Both those objects they attained and the leadership of M. H. Regan of Eagle.

The convention was called to order at 12 o'clock by Mr. Cole, the provisional member of the national silver committee for this state. Dr. Frank Powell of La Crosse, was elected temporary chairman and Dr. S. E. McCully of Milwaukee, and George Perry of Waukesha, temporary secretaries. After the appointment of committees on credentials, permanent organization and resolutions, the convention adjourned to 2:30 o'clock. The committee on resolutions delayed the proceedings, and it was 3:30 o'clock before the convention was called to order. When the report of the committee was presented the finger marks of the Bryanites were imprinted on every part.

Work of the Bryan Men.

The committee on permanent organization recommended that the temporary organization be made permanent, and the decks were cleared for the report of the committee on resolutions. The resolution declared in favor of the free coinage of silver and gold at a ratio of 16 to 1, endorsed the nominations made by the Chicago convention, and declared against supporting any one for office who was not for 16 to 1.

At the tail end of the resolutions providing for a state central committee, was the following section, which showed what the Bryanites had been doing:

And that said state central committee shall be authorized to call a state convention of the silver party at such time and place as such committee shall determine, for the purpose of nominating an electoral and state ticket and the placing in nomination by the delegates from the respective districts of candidates for congress.

The report was adopted unanimously. Then followed the election of delegates and the selection of a state central committee.

DEATH BENEFIT FOR UNION MEN

Insurance Features Added to the Local Federation—Prospects Are Good.

A well attended meeting of the Federal Labor union was held last evening at Labor Union hall. The reports were made showing that the organization is in a most promising condition. A death benefit was established at one hundred dollars and a sick benefit of five dollars a week. The initiation fee was fixed at one dollar, with a semi-annual assessment of fifty cents and dues at twenty-five cents a month.

Eleven new members were added and the first and third Tuesday of each month were fixed as the regular meeting nights.

VESTIBULE SMASH HURT THEM

C. & N. W. Officials Grieve Over the Scarring of the \$50,000 Train.

When the \$50,000 train got into Chicago with shattered cars yesterday, the crew received the warmest reception at headquarters they have ever experienced. A thorough investigation will be made. The officials feel worse over the mishap to the new train than they would over six freight wrecks for it has been the pride of their hearts.

Quick Meals

The Quick Meal gasoline stoves have had a great run this season. We have sold many of them. People are learning that it is impossible to explode one of them and that they are as far the cheapest stove to run. One cent an hour per burner is pretty cheap, isn't it? Lowell Hardware Co.

Shirt Waists for Sale.

This is not a job lot of damaged and misfit waists put on the market at low prices because a low price is all they are worth but our regular stock, selected pattern by pattern with great care and offered to you at a less price than they can be manufactured for. Bort, Bailey & Co.

OUR large ad. this evening tells of new shoes, interesting to ladies. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

ECHOES OF THE DAY IN TOWN

RICHARD DOWNS is now working in Chicago.

LADIES oxfords and but few of them left for 49 cents. Lowells.

POOLS for the races will be sold at Fred C. Stillson's this year.

MISS KATHERINE FORD is home from a visit with friends in Chicago.

Mrs. GEORGE EWEN and son are the guests of Manitowoc relatives.

MEN's tan shoes \$1.79 a pair. If you want them come along. Lowells.

GET your twine while we have plenty of it. Lowell Hardware Co.

MISS JEANETTE FORD is the guest of Miss Fannie Woodard, of Clinton.

\$2 and \$2.50 oxfords at \$1.50, at the A. Richardson Shoe Co's store.

ONLY a few of those refrigerators left at \$5.25 each. Lowell Hardware Co.

THE "Oh Be Joyful Camp" returned home last evening from their overland trip.

SPECIAL prices on tinware, etc., for picnicers and campers. Lowell Hardware Co.

MISS CORAL BONESTEEL is home from a visit with relatives in Chicago.

GET shirt waists from a large assortment while they are cheap. Bort, Bailey & Co.

A NEW steam boiler will soon be placed in the Downs hotchouse on Prospect avenue.

Mrs. BENNY MART, of Los Angeles, California, is the guest of her niece, Mrs. E. L. Cargill.

THE prettiest of china pieces can be bought at our store for very little money. Lowells.

A CAR of poles have arrived in the city for the telephone line between this city and Madison.

MISS JANE WEST of this city, was admitted to Oak Lawn hospital yesterday for treatment.

SCREEN doors and windows are handy just now. Our stock is extremely large. Lowell Hardware Co.

WE warrant the \$2.25 lawn mowers to be perfect. Never such bargains as these before. Lowell Hardware Co.

THE Wood-Jersey company who appear at the Myers Grand all of next week travel in own special Pullman car.

THE new La Prairie creamery is in operation. Milk receipts start in heavy and the success of the concern seems assured.

WE sell you a screen door complete, hinges, handy screws for 90 cents. Its a dandy good screen too. Lowell Hardware Co.

WE have one second hand Garland cook stove in splendid order for \$8. Its yours if you hurry. Lowell Hardware Co.

FOUND—Last evening, on South Main street, a dry goods package. Owner can have by calling at Gazette office and paying for ad.

THOSE calfskin ox blood color, black trimmed shoes for ladies or children are the prettiest out. See them in our window. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

J. P. WRIGHT, the contractor, came up from Cary, Ill., last night, where he had been to sign the contract to build a new school house at that place.

REV. and Mrs. POORMAN and daughter Ivy, of Roodhouse, Ill., are here to spend several weeks with Mrs. Poorman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Merry, 213 South Academy street.

MISS Minnie Calkins, Martha L. Calkins, Mamie Crowden and Pink Hanson of Chicago, are visiting at the home of Mrs. M. Hanson, 113 Terrace street.

Mrs. BOSCHER of Manitowoc, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Ewen, 288 South Main street, for several weeks returned home yesterday.

Mrs. CHARLES H. CRAWFORD and son Frankie, of Chicago, are the guests of W. H. Bonesteel and family for a few weeks' visit. Mrs. Crawford and Mrs. Bonesteel being sisters.

MASTER CHARLIE CAREY of 157 Pearl street, First ward, will remember his twelfth birthday for some time, as he received a present of a handsome watch and chain from his uncle, G. D. Clark of Belmont, Ia.

REV. ANDREW PORTER, formerly pastor of the First M. E. church of this city, now presiding elder of the Oshkosh district, is in the city the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Beckett, 211 Washington street.

Cure For Quick Tempers

Do you swear? Well I should say so when I put a window up or down with an old style screen in the casing. These adjustable screens we sell are removed in a moment without trouble. Lowell Hardware Co.

What would the women folks do without them these hot days? Our line is now complete. All sizes—32 to 45. All prices.

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THIS DAY IN HISTORY.

1661—Pierre Lemoine, Sieur d'Iberville, founder of Louisiana, born in Montreal; died 1706.

1860—Marchioness Margaret Fuller Ossoli, with her husband and child, drowned off Fire Island beach, New York; born 1810. Emerson wrote of Margaret Fuller: "She was an active, inspiring companion and correspondent, and all the art, the thought and nobleness of New England seemed at that moment related to her and she to it. She was everywhere a welcome guest. The houses of her friends in town and country were open to her and every hospitable attention eagerly offered. Her arrival was a holiday, and so was her abode, and all tasks that could be suspended were put aside to catch the favorable hour in walking, riding or boating to talk with this joyful guest, who brought wit, anecdotes, love stories, tragedies, oracles, with her."

1866—General Edward Jardine, a distinguished Union veteran, died in New York city; born 1828. Rear Admiral Earl English, U. S. A., retired, died in Washington; born 1828.

1866—Stambuloff, ex-premier of Bulgaria and a power in the disturbed politics of that kingdom, assassinated at Sofia; born 1855.

SENATOR SAWYER'S ANSWER.

With the thoroughness of a thorough business man Senator Sawyer has disposed of the treasury cases forever. He has sent to Governor Upham copies of all the legal documents which have been prepared at his direction, pledging himself never to demand from the state any money which he paid in settlement of the judgments obtained by the state against its ex-treasurers, and which he as bondsman of ex-Treasurers Harshaw and Guenther, was required to pay. Senator Sawyer not only obligates himself in these documents to make no effort to recover the large amount paid by him, but has gone further in making it binding upon all the bondsmen of Harshaw and Guenther, and upon his heirs. He has secured absolute assignments to himself by the ex-treasurers of their right and title to claims for remuneration and by other parties interested. Mr. Sawyer has paid the total amount of the judgments, thus relieving all parties of the obligations. His act has at rest all statements by the democratic press that he intended to fore a repayment of the money or any part of it, if possible. It was planned deliberately and leaves no loophole open, a fact that the democratic editors will regret greatly, as depriving them of the bulk of their stock in trade.

A GENERAL SMASH.

Not since the Whig organization went to pieces in 1854 has such a smash-up been seen as this campaign affords. Four-fifths of the democratic newspapers of character and influence in the whole country have bolted the Bryan ticket, and a large number of the democratic leaders refuse to support him. All the eastern states will give far larger majorities to McKinley than they did to Lincoln in 1860. Moreover, McKinley will get all of New Jersey's electoral vote and not, as in Lincoln's case in 1860, part of it only. He will carry Delaware, Maryland and West Virginia also by great majorities, and probably carry Kentucky and Tennessee. Without doubt he will sweep every state north of the Ohio, and many west of the Mississippi. After the campaign really begins Bryan's stock is likely to drop on the political exchange as rapidly as Greeley's did in 1872 after the early states voted.

TWO BLACK FRIDAYS.

Friday, July 10, the day of Bryan's nomination is dubbed by General Bragg "Democracy's Black Friday." The characterization is correct. That Friday was about as black for the democracy as was April 27, 1860, another Friday, when the committee on resolutions of the Charleston convention reported two platforms, one representing the northern idea on the slavery issue and the other standing for the southern pretension. In the case of a later time, the democracy at that moment reached the "parting of the ways." The "irrepressible" conflict hit the party then and there. From that day the democracy split on the slavery rock dated, and General Bragg and other patriotic democrats stood as solidly for right and honor then as they do today.

Workingmen are afraid of a dollar that buys only half as much as a dollar brings today. They would find it slow work getting wage-scales raised to correspond.

Bryan wants a government "which shall be no respecter of persons, but which shall like heaven treat all persons alike." If Mr. Bryan refers

to the day of judgment he is very in accurate. All men are not to be treated alike and the preparations made for the people who squeeze out of paying their debts are said to be very complete.

If Mr. La Follette has been misrepresented, and does not intend to make his campaign on a tomahawk basis, he should call in his fool friends. So far hardly a single paper which is in his favor has endorsed him without bitterly attacking other prominent republicans.

It will be "free" silver to the mine-owners and to others. Everybody else must buy these silver dollars of the mine-owners with labor or wheat or potatoes. The mine barons can well afford to pour out their campaign funds to bag this condition about.

Minnesota Silver Republicans.

Minneapolis, Minn., July 16.—The free silver republican convention here today has several hundred delegates from all over the state. A conference was held last night of the leading silver men of the state, at which Congressman Towne of Duluth, the bolting free silver member from Minnesota; Senators D. F. Morgan and S. B. Howard, County Attorney Frank M. Nye, and other leading republican silver men were present. They united in urging Mr. Lind to call the meeting of the bimetallic republican organization of Minnesota. A committee will be appointed of one from each county to have charge of the detail work of the party, including nominations, fusion schemes, etc.

All Shouted for Bryan.

Grand Island, Neb., July 16.—Nebraska Populists indorsed W. J. Bryan and recommended him to the party's national convention at St. Louis. Senator Allen and Governor Holcomb were chosen delegates-at-large by acclamation. The resolutions adopted declare free silver to be the paramount issue in the campaign; that the time has come when one of the great cardinal points of the party can be crystallized into legislation by union of the reform forces, and that it is the sense of this convention that the delegates to St. Louis use all honorable means to secure Bryan's indorsement.

Nine Children Poisoned.

St. Cloud, Minn., July 16.—E. Second, of Havana, Sherbourne county, brings news of the fatal poisoning at Santiago of a family of nine children caused by drinking lemonade July 4. The lemonade contained some poisonous ingredients. The children died one after another and the parents are still very sick. The name of the family is Allen. No definite report is obtainable.

Kansas Silverites.

Topeka, Kan., July 16.—Nearly 100 delegates are here to attend the free silver state convention to-day. It is fairly certain that the convention will instruct its delegates to the St. Louis convention to vote for an indorsement of Bryan. It is concluded that every Republican who takes a part in the convention intends to bolt McKinley and the St. Louis platform, and it is thought the convention may furnish some indication of the probable strength of the free silver bolt from the Republican ranks.

Both Committees at Work.

Washington, July 16.—The congressional campaign committees of both parties are now actively at work and expect within the next few weeks to circulate thousands of campaign documents, consisting chiefly of congressional speeches, which will be sent out under the frank of members of congress. Senator Faulkner, chairman of the democratic committee, said that it was receiving numerous calls and would circulate great numbers of silver speeches, but comparatively few tariff speeches would be sent out.

Vanderbilt is Better.

New York, July 16.—The condition of Cornelius Vanderbilt, Sr., who was stricken with paralysis Tuesday, is reported to be slightly improved, although still sufficiently serious as to warrant the gravest apprehension. Mrs. McLane, Delafield and Draper remained at the bedside of Mr. Vanderbilt throughout the night, and everything known to medical science was done for the relief of the patient.

Fatal Fire at Boston.

Boston, Mass., July 16.—In a short but brisk tenement house fire on Lehigh street Tuesday night Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Driscoll were burned to death and Mrs. Margaret Hogan, a widow, aged 70 years, received injuries from which she is recovering. Mrs. Driscoll had strength enough to reach the open window, where the horrified spectators below saw her rock herself in her agony and at last fall back dead.

Forms of Name "Smith"

There are families—some of you may know them—named Taillefer, Tolliver, Toller, Telfair. Now, what would you say if I told you all these were only in good, plain English, Smith! It is a fact, nevertheless. Taillefer is derived from the French and the others are only contractions of that word or changes made by mispronunciation or custom. Taillefer means to shape or fashion iron, and who shapes iron but a smith? So a taillefer was, after all, but a smithy or smith.—St. Nicholas.

Had It with Him.

Tough—"Hands up. Your money or your life."

Self-Made Man—"All right. Here's my life, written by myself, with calf-skin binding, all for \$1.50."—Vanity.

THE CATHEDRAL IN AMIENS.

Wonderfully Beautiful and Impressive When a Mass Is Held.

There was the Grand Avenue—an attempt at a new boulevard—and in rather a raw condition. There was the savor, too, of the manufacturing town, says the Gentleman's Magazine. The streets as I made my way up seemed rather dirty and uninteresting. Not very acceptable either were the new, trim squares, close to the hotels, where the natives were sitting, trying to imitate the Parisians. The glory of the place, our old friend the cathedral, contrives to hide itself in the most successful way. In nearly every town the towers or spires are always deliberately asserting themselves. You cannot shut them out. Here you could not find them, even on looking hard. It is of course, a noble, overpowering thing—vain to praise and idle to condemn. I relished much the bishop's palace and its fair gardens and that quaint brick building in the close, very old-fashioned and piquant. But within how noble and superb!—the first glance taking in the whole interior. Something novel always strike you on every fresh visit to such places and on this occasion I was impressed by the sense of its being richly and variedly furnished, as it were. Here there were compartments framed off with fine brass and iron grilles, paintings, marble pillars and the rest. I once heard a mass here betimes of an ordinary morning, when the cathedral was shown at its proper function. It was a dramatic sight, the honest natives scattered about—the general stillness, the devout air. Some of the violet-caped canons were in the superbly carved stalls. The richly carved and decorated altar was put to its proper use. The cathedral seemed to come to life and movement. The stargers or travelers who come in at noon with their guides never see the cathedral. It is then, as it were, covered up and at rest. Who that has seen the glorious Antwerp or the still more glorious St. Gude at Brussels, at such an hour, when the richly-colored panes, the carved columns, the oak and the shadows all fall into a sort of background for the ceremonial, will ever forget it? Even the old Flemish-faced sacristan was now returning to a desolate household. As we were over two hours together I had every detail and seemed to have assisted in person at the departure of the poor girl.

Why She Did Not Get a Seat.

An early downtown Lexington avenue car yesterday had its seats occupied mostly by men, while a lone woman standing at the rear door bore a hopeful look, as though she expected one of them to offer her place. After going two blocks without a seat being tendered she brought a stern frown to bear on a spectacled man seated immediately in front of her, but he apparently had cathode glasses on his eyes and looked through her without being aware of her presence. She moved one strap forward and as an agreeable expression was struggling with the frown the smoke ascending from a half extinguished cigar in the hands of the man in front of her reached her nose and she moved one more strap. This step brought her where a man sat reading the morning market reports. The smile had settled on her face, but was wasted, as the reader refused to raise his eyes from the paper. Then she moved two straps. She had no sooner changed hands with the new strap and steadied herself before the new man when the car gave a lurch and her free hand struck his shoulder. Her "Excuse me," accompanied with a bewitching smile, had no practical effect. She went to the next strap. Here the jolting of the car caused her free hand to wave near the face of the new man and with the fixed look that seized her countenance gave the appearance of an attempt to hypnotize him. He was not a sensitive. Even a very artificial cough that she gave had no effect on him. She stood there a minute, when her destination was reached and she left the car with an emphasis in her walk that signified much.—New York Herald.

Consumption Contagious.

Health Commissioner Wende is still having great trouble because people will not lock upon consumption as a contagious disease. The genial doctor had a battle royal with a man in the health office who was complaining because he had been ordered to renovate his house. In this particular instance three persons died of consumption in the same house within a few weeks. The family shortly after moved out and the health commissioner ordered the landlord to repair the house and thoroughly disinfect it. The landlord asserted that he did not know why he should take such precautions for consumption any more than he should for a death by accident. But of course the work will be done. "I wish that people understood that consumption is a contagious disease," said Dr. Wende. "In some states consumption is covered by special laws, just as smallpox or diphtheria, and while the health department has the power to act now consumption will some day be covered by special laws as in other states."—Buffalo Enquirer.

How the Timber Goes.

One of, perhaps, many little unconsidered ways in which the forests of the country are being eaten up is in supplying timber for railway trestle work. There are 2,000 miles of trestle structure in the United States, according to the estimate by the forestry division. This trestle work has to be replaced entirely every nine years on an average and every year timber amounting to 260,000,000 feet, board measure, is used for this purpose. Nearly all the timber is cut from the largest and finest trees. The annual expenditure on this work is estimated at about \$7,000,000.—Glen Falls (Ore.) Republican.

Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, July 15.—The following table shows the quotations on the Chicago board of trade today:

Articles—	High.	Low.	July 15.	July 14.
Wheat—				
July ...	54 1/4	54 1/4	54 1/4	55 1/4
Sept. ...	56 3/4	56	56 1/4	56 3/4
Dec. ...	58 3/4	58 1/4	58 3/4	58 3/4
Corn—				
July ...	28 1/4	27 3/4	28 1/4	28 1/4
Sept. ...	28 3/4	27 3/4	27 3/4	28 1/4
Dec. ...	28 3/4	28 1/4	28 1/4	28 1/4
May ...	30 3/4	30	30 1/4	30 3/4
Oats—				
July ...	17	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
Sept. ...	17	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
May ...	20 1/4	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Pork—				
July ...	6.50	6.50	6.50	6.55
Sept. ...	6.65	6.55	6.60	6.65
Jan. ...	7.47 1/2	7.45	7.45	7.50
Lard—				
July ...	3.62 1/2	3.62 1/2	3.62 1/2	3.62 1/2
Sept. ...	3.72 1/2	3.70	3.70	3.72 1/2
Jan. ...	4.07 1/2	4.05	4.07 1/2	4.07 1/2
Short Ribs—				
July ...	3.52 1/2	3.52 1/2	3.57 1/2	3.57 1/2
Sept. ...	3.65	3.60	3.62 1/2	3.65
Jan. ...	3.80	3.75	3.77 1/2	3.80

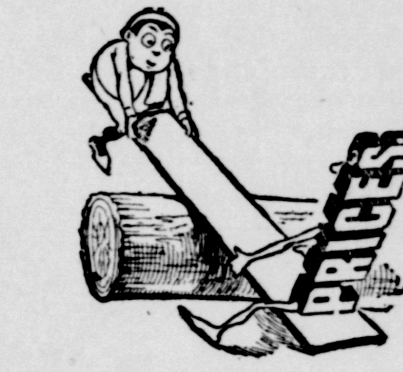
It's New.

We have one new oil cooking stove for \$3.50 that is a bargain sure. Low-ell Hardware Co.

FOR ATHLETES.



Wool and Cotton Sweater—Turtle-neck and otherwise—35c up. Golf Bicycle and Yachting Caps, Golf and Bicycle Hose, wool or cotton with or without feet, black and fancy colors; Belts—a variety of. All wool summer underwear \$1.25 a garment; just the thing for a hot ride or exercise of any kind, prevents chills. A full line of the celebrated Monarch and Noxall Negligee etc up.



Prices are way down on Straw Hats. 3 1/2c up at the truthful advertisers.

KNEFF & ALLEN.

ECONOMIZE.

This is the age of ECONOMY. We are all endeavoring to make our dollar go as far as possible. ECONOMY can be practiced greatest when buying goods. Along this line we want to suggest that we have the most economical line of

PERFUMES

to buy—those of Adolph Spiebler. The odors are the most lasting and are "just like the flowers. Among the most popular odors are

SWEET PEA, TRAILING ARBUTUS, CARNATION PINK and QUEEN OF VIOLETS which, by the way, is the most lasting of all the violets made. Call for a sample.

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Northwestern Life Association,

OF MINNEAPOLIS.
The leader of the north-west. The best and most reasonable insurance. On the natural premium plan. Fifteen-year options. Half face of policy paid if totally disabled. Liberal contracts given to good agents. Call or address
A. L. BEMIS,
Manager for S. E. Wisconsin and Illinois,
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Special rates given for private parties and picnics.

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FORD MILLS.

THE BOSTON STORE,

7 and 9 S. River St.

Sugar

18 lbs. for.....\$1.00

Pure pepper, per lb. 15c

Baker's chocolate. 1/2 lb. 18c

6 bars Armour's soap and

one pkg wash'g powder 25c

3 lb can table peaches,

worth 20c..... 10c

Tomatoes, per can..... 7c

Corn, per can..... 5c

String beans, very fine,

per can..... 5c

60-foot clothes line..... 10c

12 doz. clothes pins..... 10c

SAVE MONEY...

You Pay \$3.50 for

BALL BEARING BICYCLE SHOES

at other stores, and the Shoes you buy at that price have eyelets. We sell the Ball Bearing Shoes, with hooks, \$3.00. The famous Elk sole black bicycle shoes for \$2.50. We save you money on all kinds of Shoes at the same proportion.

BENNETT & CRAM.

.....On the Bridge.....

They Have Shot the Chutes.

UMBRELLA PRICES.

PARASOL PRICES.

The great sample line is in, and comprises over three hundred numbers, being representatives of the entire production of the Detroit Umbrella Co., of Detroit, Mich., who make the nobbiest stuff in America. An immense line of both Ladies' and Gents' Umbrellas in every variety of handles and sticks and in many colors, such as blue, green, red, brown, &c. Being a sample line, there are no two alike, and with such a variety we can suit every taste; and as for prices, we own the entire line subject to a liberal discount and are therefore prepared to offer exceptional bargains, as they are all ticketed on the basis of manufacturers' cost. This is the line you have waited for, and now that it is here don't delay, but come in and look it over—it will please you and the prices have taken a great slide.

PARASOL POINTERS

Three lines at three special prices.

22 inch white taffetta silk Parasols, white paragon frames, white enamelled crook handles, have slid to \$1.19.

22 inch Persian pattern, paragon frame, natural wood crook handles, a nobby Parasol; was \$2.50, has slid to \$1.39.

One hundred of the choicest of novelty Parasols, in value up to \$3.00, we will let slide at \$1.69.

Drop in and profit thereby.

ARCHIE REID & CO.

If You "No" a "Thing"

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And if—you get us to do your job printing, you will KNOW a SOMETHING, that is you, will know that we do printing that is neat, attractive, pretty; good stock; prompt service, at a REASONABLE PRICE, enabling us to make a fair profit while giving you YOUR MONEY'S WORTH.

NICE PRINTING, OR
NO PAY.....

GAZETTE PRINTING COMP'Y.

MCKINLEY BUTTON WAS WORN BY DOE

EMBLEM A SUBJECT OF RE
MARK TUESDAY NIGHT.

Brother of the Assistant Secretary of War Displays a Badge Committing Him to the Sound Money Cause—Dr. J. B. Whiting Will Not Support Bryan.

Campaign buttons tell interesting stories this year. Wilson Doe, brother of J. B. Doe, wore a button Tuesday evening that gave a political turn to the discussion very early. It was a white button and the upper half of the inscription read:

"I AM A DEMOCRAT."

The lower half supplemented this by the words:

"BUT I WILL VOTE FOR MCKINLEY."

The fact that the button was worn by General Doe's brother at a gathering so distinctly democratic caused remark, but very little criticism.

"As a business man I feel that to vote for McKinley is the only thing I can do," said Mr. Doe. "It isn't a matter of party spirit, it is a matter of common honesty and of dollars and cents."

John Winans is among the Wisconsin democrats quoted by the Chicago Times-Herald as bolting Bryan. Last night's Milwaukee Journal contained the following letters:

Dr. Whiting Against Bryan.

Janesville, Wis., July 12.—I am fully in accord with the Wisconsin delegation in their action at the national convention held in Chicago. After having voted the democratic ticket for more than half a century I am unwilling to have the party stultified by being committed to the action of that convention. I am not a politician and have no plan of proceeding formulated, but the situation demands the best thought of the best men in the party before the next step be taken.

Will Stay For Organization's Sake.

Janesville, Wis., July 14.—I think that if the democrats of Wisconsin wish to preserve their party organization that it would be the height of folly to make a fight against a free silver movement. The gold democrats are in a hopeless minority throughout the country, and a division of the party would make a vicious break, one that time would not heal. I have had anti-silver views up to the Chicago convention—I propose to stay by the convention and the majority.

PETER J. MOUT.

STRONG CAST FOR SUMMER COMEDY

Woods-Jersey Company Has Well Known People On Its Rost

A strong cast is offered by the Woods-Jersey company that plays here all next week. Harry M. Blake, the English actor, is leading man; Miss Mamie Barrett, of the Lillian Kennedy company; Miss Corinne La Vaut, of Hoyt's "A Trip to Chinatown"; Kittie Franin of "The Derby Winner" company; Jimmy Thompson, of the well known team of Eddie Foy and Thompson, and the funny little man in "Ali Baba"; Rube Welch, of the well known team of Welch & Welch, and William McDougall of the "Two Johns" company, is said to give more specialties, music, songs, dances than any repertoire company traveling.

Y. M. C. A. BOYS HOME FROM CAMP

They Bring Back a Supply of Gold and Silver Medals.

Members of the Y. M. C. A. junior department, who have been in camp at Lake Beulah, returned home today. The boys held up their end very well in the field day contests. There were twenty contestants entered from Milwaukee, Columbus and Janesville, those from here being Roy Airis, Arthur Bennett, John Shearer, Phineas Pease and Percy Merrill. Pease carried off two firsts and one second; Merrill, one first and one second. Janesville carried off the majority of both honors and prizes. The first prizes were gold medals and the second prizes silver medals.

BAPTIST PARTY IN GAY CARS

Many From This City Attend the Big Convention in Milwaukee

Two gaily decorated coaches left the city this morning at 10:15. They bore the Janesville delegation to the International Convention of the Baptist Young People's Union in Milwaukee. The Janesville party was accompanied by six from Brodhead, sixteen from Beloit, seven from Juda and four from Evansville. Among those who left this morning from this city were Rev. and Mrs. M. G. Hodge, Mr. and Mrs. William Blanchard, Miss Maud McDonald, Miss Nellie Smiley, Miss Frankie McGee, J. T. Fitchett, R. L. Grove and B. F. Dunnwiddle.

W. C. T. U. DINING ROOM TO RUN

Rock County Association Takes Action Regarding the Coming Fair.

A conference of Rock county W. C. T. U. workers was held at the Madison street home of Mrs. J. L. Ford, to consider the work to be done at the coming county fair. The ladies decided to run their dining hall and cater to the public at low expense.

PRIVATE SEWERS ARE TOO WARM

Summer Weather and Low Water Are Not In Their Favor.

As the river gets lower the private sewers that empty near Milwaukee street make trouble. Hot weather has added to the number of complaints.

Health Officer Gibson served notice on several property owners today.

BRIEFS GARNERED ABOUT TOWN

MONEY to loan. S. D. Grubb.

SHIRT waist sale at Bort, Bailey & Co's.

\$1.50 shirt waists for 99 cents at our sale. Bort, Bailey & Co.

THE Myers' block on the bridge is being improved by painters.

SOUTH High street is being improved by Street Commissioner Watson's men.

THE Northwestern company are improving their depot property with a new board walk.

ARCHIE REID & Co. are making some extra special prices on umbrellas and parasols, today.

THIS ladies' society of the Norwegian Lutheran church spent the day at Crystal Springs park.

LADIES' linen collars, either standing or turn down. Also cuffs and fronts. Archie Reid & Co.

You ride free on the street cars when you purchase a pair of shoes of the A. Richardson Shoe Co.

SHERIFF Appleby says McKenna needed no introduction to the officials at Waupun prison yesterday.

ALL groceries retailed at wholesale prices for cash, at Vankirk's grocery, No. 12, River street, West side.

BEST No. 1 new salt per barrel, only 95 cents. Vankirk Grocery Co., No. 12, River street, West side.

WE have some elegant misses' and children's shoes on the road. So look out for us. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

No shelved styles to provoke you, but the freshest of the fresh in shirt waists and at reductions. J. M. Bostwick & Sons.

THOSE misses' and children's calf or blood, black trimmed shoes we have just received, run in sizes from 8½ to 2. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

My personal guarantee goes with every sack of Pearl White and Vienna flour. No better made; ask your grocer for it. J. M. Shackleton.

WE are selling many shirt waists these days. The bargain we offer on late style and pattern waists are appreciated. Bort, Bailey & Co.

THERE will be a special meeting of Independent Order of Foresters at Good Templars at 7:45 o'clock this evening. A full attendance is desired.

OUR tin and sheet iron department is very busy these times. This is the proper time to have furnace and tin work done. Lowell Hardware Co.

If you can get the best of flour made, in Pearl White and Vienna, why not buy them? Is it not better to patronize home industries? J. M. Shackleton.

FOR Rent—House with barn, city water and gas, one block from passenger depots, First ward. Inquire of George Simpson, at Archie Reid & Co's.

SMITH's orchestra will furnish music for a public dance to be given at Columbia hall, Wednesday evening, July 22. Everybody invited. Tickets 50 cents.

COUNT your 50 cent pieces for dollars and get here quick before sizes are broken—sized in shirt waists. The only largest line in town. J. M. Bostwick & Sons.

NICE fresh caught bass, trout, white fish, perch and dressed bullheads today at our store. They are all strictly first class and nice for Fridays dinner. Dunn Bros.

CHARLTON & Dawson will ship a carload of horses to the lumber country tonight. The car goes in charge of Martin Kenney. One horse in the lot weighs 1980 pounds.

BREAD-MAKERS wanting the choicest genuine Minnesota flour made, should try a sack of Hubbard's Superlative, made at Mankato, Minnesota. Always uniform. Sole agents, VanKirk Grocery Co.

Don't be fooled by some one telling you that they have a good shoe for \$1.50 as we are talking to the men about at present. It's a shame to sell them at that price but it can't be helped. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

SEE the values we offer in ladies' shirt waists, to close them out: 50 cent waists go at 19 cents; 75 cent waists at 37 cents; \$1 and \$1.25 waists, for 61 cents; \$1.50 to \$2 waists, for 78 cents. T. P. Burns.

J. FRANK JERSEY of the Wood Jersey company is, in the city making preparations for the appearance of the company at Myers Grand Opera House all of next week. "A Batch of Blunders" will be the opening performance for Monday evening.

THE bicycle lock invented by E. C. Bailey, of this city, is described in the Times-Herald today. It is a small barrel lock that is clamped to the lower rail of the bicycle frame, so that the bolt that slides in it can be set between two sprocket teeth.

ROYAL Neighbors will give a big picnic at Mayflower Park Friday. Games, races, etc., in afternoon. Dancing in the evening. In the afternoon State Deputy Head Consul M. W. A. Love, of Madison, will be with us and give an interesting talk on M. W. A. and R. N. A. The steamer Mayflower will leave her dock at 1:30, 7 and 8 o'clock p. m. Round trip boat tickets, 25 cents; children free. Supper will not be served until after the 7 o'clock boat arrives. Hot coffee will be furnished by the Royal Neighbors. The Simons Comedy Company will give an entertainment from 8 to 9.

If you are wise, you'll purchase shirt waists now. Bort, Bailey & Co.

Uncle Ike's fifty-third B'ar.

Isaac Pratt, of Bennington, Vt., 73 years old, captured in a trap at Gastonbury the other day his fifty-third bear. The animal was about 2 years old, in good condition and weighed 100 pounds.

CLUMSY BURGLARS

VISIT A. J. BAKER

PORCH STREWN WITH MATCHES AND CHIPS.

Somebody Approaching on the Side-walk Must Have Frightened the Thieves Away, For They Left Their Job Half Completed—Wire Screen Cut Out.

Burglars did a cheap job at A. J. Baker's house, 154 South Bluff, last night.

When Mr. Baker opened the front door this morning he was surprised to find the porch strewn with small shavings. A closer inspection showed that two holes had been bored into the screen door with the hopes of unhooking the door-catch lock.

After failing in the attempt the thieves had cut away the screen, but while in this act they must have been frightened away, for they left their job half finished.

Mr. and Mrs. Baker were in the house when the attempt was made, but they think the would-be robbers were frightened away by persons approaching on the sidewalk.

The matter was reported to the police this morning, and after an investigation, it was decided that more than one person was interested in the work. Burnt matches that were used were found all over the porch.

LIVE WIRE MADE A SCARE

Three Systems Mixed Up By a "Cross" on Milwaukee Street.

A live wire on the Bower City Light and Power company circuit came in contact with Norecross and telephone wires this morning and caused all sorts of trouble.

The "cross" was near the corner of Milwaukee and Main streets. Before it was remedied all of Captain Norecross lights in the stores on the east side of the river were burnt out and considerable damage was done the lead cables that are in use about the city by the telephone company.

Manager Wiltz, of the telephone exchange, said this morning that if the break had not been discovered promptly, it would have done much greater damage to the telephone company alone. As it is a man will have to be sent out from Milwaukee to repair the cables.

EDGERTON WHEELMEN IN TOWN

Ride to Janesville Furnishes Them with Enjoyable Exercise.

Edgerton wheelmen now take an hour's spin to this city, get dinner here and do their shopping, and run home in the afternoon. Among those who visited the city today were the Misses Florence and Harriet Fitch, L. H. Towne and H. H. Kingsley. They report good roads most of the way, and they managed to make the trip in short order.

BENEATH DEATH'S DARK CLOUD

Funeral of Mrs. Berrett.

The funeral of Mrs. Joseph Berrett was held this morning from Trinity Episcopal church, services being conducted by Rev. W. H. Wotton. The interment was in Oak Hill. Mrs. Berrett was 59 years of age and besides a husband, leaves one son George Berrett, of Chicago.

To the Public.

It seems to be the pleasure of a few humbug picture agents representing fake concerns, canvassing this city, to try and misrepresent us by saying that we have our pictures made in Chicago.

We would say to the people of Janesville and vicinity that we make all our pictures here and invite you at any time to come in and see our work.

We have made pictures for some of the best business men in this city, and can refer you to them at any time. Respectfully, MALONE & GUNN.

For Sale.

Modern house of seven rooms in one of the best locations in the Third ward for less than value. See me if you want a fine home for a little money. D. W. Watt.

A New Thing

We have just received a patent revolving cake dish that is a very handy article and sells for only 25 cents. Don't fail to see it. Lowell.

For Sale.

Fine farm of 160 acres, two miles from city limits. Must be sold soon. D. W. Watt.

THE NEWS OF THE CITY

We sell you a warranted lawn mower for \$2.25. Lowell Hardware Co.

Fly nets for the horses. All kinds at very low prices. Lowell Hardware Co.

No necessity for ill looking lawns when you can purchase a guaranteed lawn mower for \$2.25. Lowell Hardware Co.

Iron Workers Encouraged.

Pittsburg, Pa., July 16.—The outlook in the iron and steel industry is more encouraging than at any time since the stoppage of the mills. President M. M. Garland, of the Amalgamated Association, said yesterday that sixty firms have signed the wage scales prepared by the organization at the annual convention held in Detroit. All of the sheet mills recognizing the union, about thirty in number, are paying union rates and are in operation. Many of the companies operating tin plate and rolling mills have agreed to the terms of the Amalgamated Association. Mr. Garland believes the others will be in line as soon as the necessary repairs are made at the works.

SOME CRISP PERSONAL COMMENT

J. A. CANNIFF is home after a year's residence in Kansas.

WALLACE CARRIER came down from Second Lake today.

MISS LOTTIE FLECK of Brodhead, spent the day in the city.

MR. and Mrs. W. H. Pomeroy of Edgerton, spent the day in the city.

MR. and Mrs. H. C. Martin, of Darlington, spent the day in the city.

MRS. H. B. DELONG, left this morning for a short outing at Second Lake.

MISS EDITH HAMMOND of Chicago, is visiting in the city, the guest of relatives.

MISS JULIA WELCH, of Chicago, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Welch.

JOHN DRISCOLL, who recently fell from the railroad bridge is fast improving.

A. E. MATHESON and H. J. Cunningham returned home this morning from Lake Beulah.

MRS. SAMUEL H. STONE left this morning for a visit with friends in Milwaukee.

GEORGE M. KEYS was in the city today from Rockford investigating the horse market.

J. M. ALDEN, publisher of the Durand, Ill. Clipper, is visiting friends in this city.

MR. and Mrs. M. F. Greene returned this morning from a pleasant outing at Second Lake.

MARTIN CURTIS returned to his home in Fort Atkinson today after a short visit in the city.

DR. A. E. LEVINGS of Milwaukee, was in the city yesterday, called here by the illness of H. W. House.

MRS. MINNIE MENZIES and Miss Harriet Fitch left this morning for an extended trip through the east.

MRS. GEORGE STARK, who has been visiting local relations, left this morning for her home in Madison.

E. C. SHARP and James Schomerhorn of Huntington, Ind., have recently arrived in the city to attend school.

THE summer school at the Lincoln building is doing well, and those wishing admittance, please apply there.

MRS. E. H. DAVIES and daughter, Mrs. F. E. Green, are home from a delightful outing in the northern woods.

MRS. MARY MURWIN and Mrs. Brown of Fulton, spent yesterday with Mrs. Al Gilbertson's, South Jackson street.

MR. and Mrs. R. J. Touley of Belvidere, are visiting in the city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Denniston.

MISS ELIZABETH WATT of Hampton, Ia., and Miss Katherine Hall of Monroe, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Watt.

MRS. JOHN BUCKLEY went to Clinton, Wis., yesterday morning, where she will visit relatives for the next two weeks.

DR. JAMES MILLS and family, Alexander McGregor's family, and Mrs. C. N. Vankirk are spending a week at Lake Koshkonoong.

GEN. J. B. DOX left yesterday afternoon for Milwaukee. From there he will accompany a party of military friends to Camp Douglas.

MRS. P. J. MOUT and three daughters will occupy a cottage on the shores of Lake Geneva for the next month. They left at noon today.

ROBERT ELLISON, a former Janesville boy, but now of Mason City, Ia., is in the city with a string of horses, for next week's race meet.

DR. GEORGE W. FIFIELD, who has been in practice in Chicago for two years, being connected with the C. & N. W. road's medical department, has returned to his old home and is established in the Sutherland block. He occupies the Fifield residence, 108 Washington street, and is warmly received by his many friends.

Senator Brice's Story.

Some one said to Senator Brice that it did not matter which way the silver question was decided, as the country could be just as prosperous under a silver standard as it was with the gold standard, and this remark reminded Senator Brice of a story. Two well-bred young men were rivals for the affections of a fair lady, and, being gentlemen, they did not wish to fight a duel and try to kill each other, nor did they want to go at it with their fists. They glowered at each other a little while, and then one said to his rival: "We don't want to fight about this lady, so I'll tell you what we'll do. We will toss for her." To this the other agreed. "Then," said the first, "I'll toss up a brick, and if it stays in the air the girl is yours. If it comes down she's mine."

Keeping Their Father's Grave Green.

Two brothers living in North Waldo, Me., went recently to the cemetery to trim their father's grave. There they fought with clubs and things, and the lawyers were resorted to.

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E. D. MILLER IN OIL GETTING RICH FAST

FORMER JANESVILLE LANDLORD'S FLOWING WELL.

It Runs Two Hundred Barrels a Day and the Prospect of Great Riches May Well Delight the Eye of the Former Bower City Hotel Proprietor.

E. D. Miller, the former proprietor of the Myers House in this city, is now an oil king. He is pumping oil in the fields of Northern Indiana. Mr. Miller writes a number of his Janesville friends that he has struck it rich in boring for oil, and that from one well he and his partner have an output of 200 barrels a day. At this rate the ex-landlord soon will be a Standard Oil monopoly all by himself.

CHILD'S FINGERS MANGLED.

Four Year Old Boy's Hand Caught in a Hay Pulley.

The four year old boy of John Rehl on the Vankirk farm, had the flesh of the first and second fingers ground off in the hay pulley yesterday. The bones in each finger were laid bare of flesh. He was brought to the city and had the hand dressed by Dr. E. E. Loomis. The fingers will be saved if possible.

The little son of Dawitt Hanthorn, who suffered a like accident ten days ago, is making a good recovery.

Coal.

Best quality of hard coal, egg and range, \$6.75 per ton; chestnut, \$6.50 per ton. W. H. H. Maclean.

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After examining samples of the leading brands of baking powder I have arrived at the conclusion that the Royal is superior in purity, leavening power and keeping qualities. It is a cream of tartar powder, entirely free from alum, lime, ammonia, and all deleterious ingredients. GEORGE S. COX, Wisconsin State Chemist.

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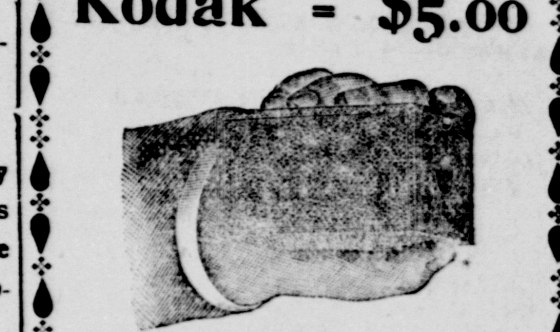
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He Is the Oldest Astor.

The only living grandson of John Jacob Astor, the founder of the great Astor fortune, is Henry Astor. He is an outcast from his family simply because he married a poor girl who had nothing but good looks and rare intelligence to recommend her. His wife was the



HENRY ASTOR.

daughter of a farmer who lived on the Astor farm in Dutchess county, N. Y. Henry was promptly disinherited by his father and scorned by the rest of the family. He retired with his wife and all her family to Columbia county, N. Y., where he bought a big tract of land. He built a fine house on it and has lived there ever since. He has a comfortable fortune, left him by his grandfather.

A New Methodist Bishop.

Earl Cranston, who was elected a bishop at the Methodist general conference, was born at Athens, O., June 27, 1840, and was educated at Ohio university. He entered the army in 1861 as a private and was promoted at various times until he reached the rank of cap-



BISHOP CRANSTON.

tain. He engaged in business after the war, but in 1868 was admitted on trial in the Ohio conference. His first church was in Portsmouth and his second in Columbus. He also held pastorates in Jacksonville, Ill., Evansville, Ill., Cincinnati and Denver. In 1884 he was elected as one of the agents of the Western Book Concern and held office until his recent election as bishop.

Li Hung Chang's Guide.

Mr. Louis Spitzel is an Englishman who is acting as guide, friend and traveling agent for Li Hung Chang, the Chinese viceroy, who wants to see a good



MR. LOUIS SPITZEL.

deal of this country before he goes back to China. Mr. Spitzel met Prince Li three years ago and bought for him, on behalf of the Chinese government, large amounts of war supplies, gaining the entire confidence of the viceroy and other Chinese officials.

A Royal Wedding.

Princess Maud, the most popular daughter of the Prince of Wales, recently married Prince Karl, the grandson of the old king of Denmark. Prince Karl is the own cousin of Princess Maud, but such matches are not quite unusual among royalty. He is not quite 24 years old and has had an uneventful life. He is a big, strapping young fel-



PRINCE KARL AND PRINCESS MAUD.

low, with a fondness for athletics and outdoor sports.

If Prince Karl is mediocre, there is nothing commonplace about Princess Maud. She is as lively and as full of original enterprise as any two other members of the imperial family. She will be 27 years old next November. She is short, dark and vivacious and has decided opinions of her own.

A Principle at Stake.

"I am reliably informed," remarked one of the stockholders in the corporation, lowering his voice so it could not be heard by any eavesdropper or chance listener outside the door of the room in which the conference was going on, "I am reliably informed, I say, that we can put this ordinance through the city council for \$40,000."

"Do the members of that body think we will be a party to any corrupt bargain with men destitute of honor!" exclaimed the chairman. "Do they take us for bribers. It is infamous! Besides," he added, in a voice trembling with indignation, "the figure they demand is too high. It isn't worth over \$20,000 at the outside."—Chicago Tribune.

Saving His Capital.

"You're a goose!" angrily exclaimed a Dallas man to his wife, who continually chided him about his excessive extravagance. "You do nothing but cackle, cackle all the time."

"Yes, dear," she sweetly replied, "but you must not forget that the cackling of geese saved the capital of Rome, and if cackling can save your capital, I'm going to keep it up."

And she did.—Texas Sifter.

He Was Used to It.

"Were you ever in a cyclone?" asked a Dallas man of a friend who had just returned from a trip east.

"I should say I was. I was in St. Louis when it struck that town. I was eating dinner when the breeze came along and turned the house upside down."

"What did you think of it?"

"Think? I thought my wife had lost her temper again."—Texas Sifter.

An Earnest Plea.

Oh, give me not the "marble heart," Nor yet the "icy mitt," Nor treat me to the "frigid fist," Nor answer me with "nit." Don't make me "stand upon my head," Nor "throw me in the air," Nor "pass me up," nor "turn me down," Nor give me the "glasy glare." But if you must reject my suit, Why please to let me know The sorrow of my lonely fate, By simply saying: "No."—Detroit News.

No Doubt of It.

"Hopeless, utterly hopeless," said the keeper, as he opened the door and let the visitors see a man whose face wore a smile of triumph.

"He thinks he has invented a bicycle lamp that will stay lit."

The visitors shuddered and passed on to another room, where they found a man who was trying to write a currency plank for a party platform.—Truth.

Wrangling Again.

Brooks—I have been told that a man learning to swim should imitate as closely as possible the motions of a frog.

Rivers—I don't know. Did you ever see an otter swimming?

"Yes."

"Well, that's the way you otter swim."—Chicago Tribune.

Paternal Solitude.

Daughter—This piano is really my very own, isn't it, pa?

Pa—Yes, my dear.

"And when I marry I can take it with me, can I?"

"Certainly, my child; but don't tell anyone. It might spoil your chances."—Tit-Bits.

Just What He Deserved.

"Can I get anything on this watch?" asked the society burglar, as he presented a stolen chronometer at the sign of the Three Balls.

"About four years, I should think," replied the detective, who had been waiting for the missing goods to turn up.—Tit-Bits.

Inconsistent.

He never would do a thing by rule, And he heartily hated form; He blew but fingers to make 'em cool— And, in winter, to make 'em warm!—Chicago Record.

ALL THE INGREDIENTS.



Mr. Smart—Stiffly and Miss Auburn would make a beautiful match. Miss Burn—How's that? Mr. Smart—She's red headed and he's a stick.—Chicago Tribune.

Two Dreams.

She said: "I dreamed of angels, They filled the heavens blue; Now was there ever a sweeter dream?" He said: "I dreamed of you!"—Detroit Free Press.

Friendly.

Joe—Are the family sociable out where you are boarding, Jack?

Jack—Sociable? The farmer and his two hired men sleep on the floor in my room.—Chicago Record.

Not Surprised.

Doctor—I believe you have some sort of poison in your system.

Patient—Shouldn't wonder. What was that last stuff you gave me?—Comic Cuts.

Deserved Praise.

Visitor—They tell me that Farmer Jones has a great deal of horse sense.

Farmer Brown—That's a fact. I guess he's stuck every man he ever traded horses with.—Up-to-Date.

Honest About It.

Mrs. Tillinghast—What was your maiden name, Mrs. Gammam?

Mrs. Gazzam—My maiden aim was to get married.—N. Y. World.

THE NEW \$50,000,000 LEMONS.

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Notice is hereby given that at the January term of the county court to be held in and for said county at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday of Jan., A. D. 1897, being Jan. 6th, 1897, at 9 o'clock a. m. the following matters will be heard, considered and adjusted.

All claims against Mary L. Stout, late of the city of Janesville, in said county deceased. At such claims must be presented for allowance to said court, at the court house in the city of Janesville, in said county, on or before the 17th day of Dec., A. D. 1896 or be barred.—Dated June 17th, 1896.

By the Court, J. W. SALE, County Judge.

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STATE OF WISCONSIN—COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY, IN PROBATE.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the county court to be held in and for said county at the court house in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the third Tuesday, being July 21, 1896, at 9 o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered.

The application of William G. Wheeler for the adjournment and allowance of his account as executor of the will of Magdalene K. Kerner, late of the town of Laprairie, in said county, deceased, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to such other person as are by law and the will of said deceased entitled thereto.—Dated June 23, 1896.

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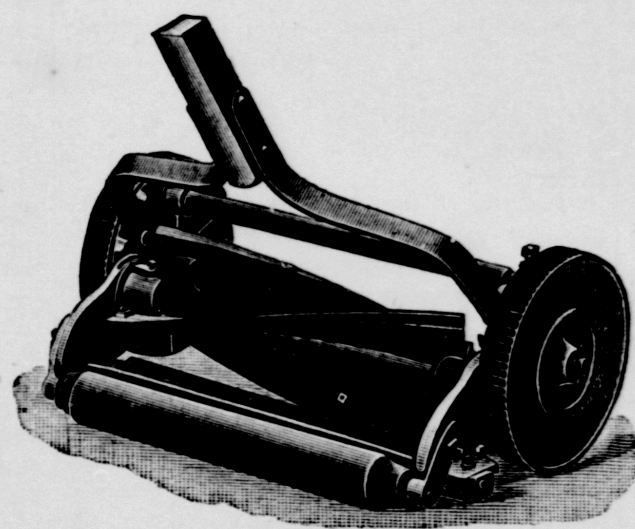


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—R. H. Stoddard in Atlantic.

GARRY, THE COLLIE.

"Yes, sir, I am an old man now, and rather feeble on my pins, but I can remember when a 20 mile walk, 10 mile out and 10 mile home, was nothing to me.

"You see, I was a country postman, and used to take the letters from a small town to a village lying 10 mile out every morning. Aye, sir I've done a tidy bit of walking in my time if it was all reckoned up. Thirty-five years a postman at 20 miles a day."

"You have indeed," I replied, "and I should think you must have met with many adventures during your long, lonely walks in a service which has extended over so many years."

"Only one adventure or mishap, perhaps I should say," the old man replied; "and if it had not been for a very dear friend, long since dead, these old eyes of mine would never have seen this day. Martha!" he shouted, at the same time knocking with the stick on the stone flags of the little cottage porch where we were seated.

The summons was answered by a young woman who came from the kitchen, wiping her wet hands on a coarse brown apron.

"What do you want, father?" she asked pleasantly.

"Just fetch Garry's likeness, my lass, and have a care with it. I wouldn't have it broken for the world."

Martha went away, but soon returned with a small photograph on glass and placed it carefully in the old man's hand. "That, sir, is the picture of the dear friend who saved my life," he said, passing it to me.

I was not a little surprised to find that the dear friend was a large black and tan collie dog. My curiosity being aroused, I begged the old man to tell me the story, and here it is:

"When I had been about 20 years in the postal service," began the old man in his quavering voice, "a farmer one day made me a present of a colley pup of a pure breed. I named him Garry. As he grew up I taught him almost everything a dog could learn. He got so that he could just understand what was said as well as any Christian.

"When he was old enough, I took him with me on my journeys, and very soon he got so used to it that he really seemed to think it was as much his duty as mine, and when I let him carry the satchel there was no prouder dog in all England.

"I had to be up very early in the mornings, get my letters as soon as they were sorted, and be at my destination by 9:30, where I delivered them to the postmaster in the village, who kept a grocer's shop and postoffice combined.

"It was pleasant enough in the summer months, but during the winter it was a cold, dreary walk—dangerous, too, in the dark mornings to any one not used to the path, as one part of it ran along the edge of a deserted stone quarry, over which the unwary traveler might easily step if he missed the beaten track.

"But as Garry and I knew every foot of the way, I never felt the least misgiving, no matter how dark the morning, except when there had been a heavy fall of snow, and then I trusted to the dog, who would walk on ahead. By following his footsteps I found that I never lost the path.

"One dark December morning, the snow lying thick upon the ground and a cold north wind blowing, I started on my usual journey in company with my faithful friend.

"Though muffled up in greatcoat and comforter, the wind seemed to pierce through all my clothing, and the hair about my face was soon stiff with ice.

"We shall have a rough time of it, old fellow," I said to Garry, whose only answer was a short bark and a roll in the snow. Then, shaking his coat, he settled down to his business as a guide, going a few steps in advance of me.

"The exertion of tramping through the snow soon set the blood tingling through my veins, and on I went, feeling as warm and comfortable as circumstances would allow.

"After an hour's hard walking, we came to the old quarry, Garry, as usual, taking the lead.

"The snow was almost knee deep here, making it hard work for me, and harder still for poor Garry.

"But we plodded on, and at last came to the stump of an old tree, by which I knew that we were past the dangerous part of our journey.

"The snow was not nearly so deep as we got farther on, which made it much better walking; but before we had done another mile large flakes began to fall thick and fast.

"Knowing the danger of being caught in a snowstorm in that neighborhood, I increased my pace and pushed on with all possible speed.

"In descending a steep incline I lost

my footing and fell heavily, with my right leg twisted under me.

"Garry was by my side in an instant, and I tried to rise, but there was something the matter with my leg, and I fell back sick and faint with pain. I tried again and again, but every time I made the attempt I suffered dreadful torture. Plainly the limb was broken! What was I to do?

"I was lying there perfectly helpless, and a snowstorm was coming on.

"There was little chance of anybody passing that way unless I was missed and a search made. But I might die before then.

"The postmaster at the village to which I was bound would think the road was blocked and that I had not attempted the journey if I did not turn up at the usual time, and, on the other hand, my wife would think I had got safely to my destination and was waiting there until I could make the return journey in safety. What should I do?

"Looking helplessly round for something that might suggest a means of deliverance, my eyes met those of my faithful dog, who sat in the snow, looking into my face and whining piteously.

"Suddenly it occurred to me that if I could send the dog on to the village he might bring help. But he had never yet gone alone, and I was afraid that he would not leave me.

"So it appeared, for, in spite of coaxing and threats, he steadily refused to budge from my side.

"As a last resource I took off my satchel, and, strapping it firmly on his back, said: 'Garry, take that to the post-office. Go on, boy!'

"Wagging his tail and barking as much as to say, 'Now I understand,' he darted off through the snow, leaving me alone, with a deadly faintness creeping over me and a fear at my heart that I should be found dead.

"The snow fell thicker and faster, gradually burying me.

"For a time I suffered dreadfully from my broken leg and the intense cold, but after awhile a sensation of numbness came over me, and I felt a strong desire to go to sleep. I battled against this feeling with all my energies, knowing how dangerous such a sleep is, but at last I yielded, and knew no more.

"When I regained consciousness, I was in a warm bed, the postmaster's wife was holding some beef tea to my lips, while Garry sat by the bedside.

"By the doctor's aid and the kind treatment I received I was soon on the way to recovery, and then I heard the particulars of my rescue.

"It seems that Garry, after leaving me, made the best of his way to the village, and presented himself in the postmaster's little shop about 10 o'clock, seemingly almost exhausted, with the satchel entangled about his legs in such a manner as to cause wonder as to how he got through the snow at all.

"As you may imagine, the appearance of the dog filled the mind of the postmaster with alarm. But that was not enough for Garry. As soon as he was relieved from the satchel he rushed into the street, barking violently, as if he would say, 'Follow me!'

"The postmaster at last understood it. The alarm was given, and a dozen stout fellows, provided with a hurdle and restoratives, set out upon the search, guided by the faithful dog.

"They found me, sir, and you know the rest. But they might never have found me if it had not been for Garry.

"There was six inches of snow over me when he led them to the spot, and began to scratch at the snow and whine piteously, as if to say, 'He is here.'

"Garry and I had many a journey over the same road after that, and when he grew old and feeble and no longer able to walk so far he would stand at the cottage door and watch me off, and when I came back was always first to give me a welcome.

"He has been dead for many years now, and I haven't very long to live, but as long as I have my memory Garry will never be forgotten."

"Thanking the old man for his story, I walked back to my quarters at the little village inn, thinking the while of what a noble example poor Garry was of perseverance, obedience and love.—Chat-terbox.

Good When Genuine.

The slim, blue-eyed young man who teaches school had been reading the comic periodicals and waxed apprehensive.

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Teacher—What is a pedestrian?
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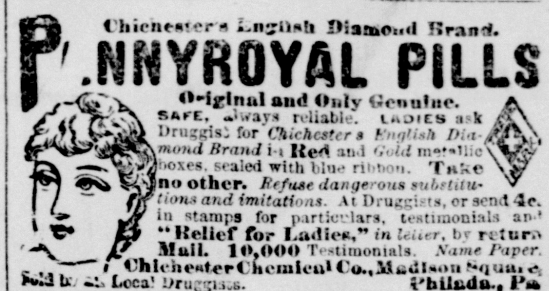
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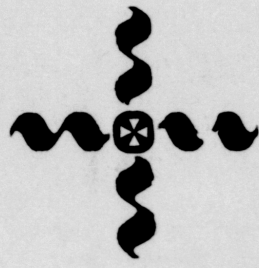
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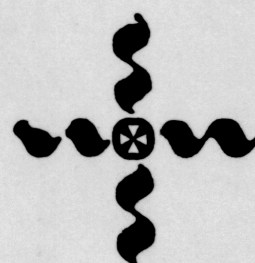
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